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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
FRESNO DIVISION

BLANCA E. CEJA MARTINEZ,

Plaintiff,

v.

KILOLO KIJAKAZI,
Acting Commissioner of Social Security,

Defendant.

Case No. 1:21-cv-00489-SKO

STIPULATION AND ORDER FOR REMAND
PURSUANT TO SENTENCE SIX OF 42 U.S.C. §
405(g)

(Doc. 9)

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED, by and between Plaintiff and Defendant, through their respective counsel of record, that this action be remanded for further administrative action pursuant to section 205(g) of the Social Security Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. section 405(g), *sentence six*. Remand is warranted due to irregularities in the hearing recording process.

On remand, the Appeals Council will remand the case to an administrative law judge (ALJ) to offer Plaintiff the opportunity for a hearing and to issue a new decision.

This stipulation constitutes a remand under the sixth sentence of Section 205(g) of the Social Security Act, 42 U.S.C. 405(g).

Respectfully submitted,

DATE: December 23, 2021

/s/ Jonathan Pena
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Attorney for Plaintiff
(as approved via email on December 23, 2021)

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ORDER

Based on the parties' above stipulation (Doc. 9), and for good cause shown,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that this action is REMANDED to the Commissioner of the Social Security Administration pursuant to sentence six of section 205(g) of the Social Security Act, 42 U.S.C. § 405(g).

The Clerk of Court is DIRECTED to administratively close the case. The Court retains jurisdiction over the matter, and either party may file a request to reopen the case once the administrative proceedings have been completed.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: **December 30, 2021**

/s/ Sheila K. Oberto
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE